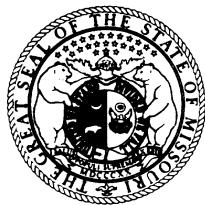


# EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY



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### **Morning Situation Report - September 27, 2006** **September 22-23, 2006 and continuing Severe Storms, Flooding events** **Updated Information is bolded**

Governor Matt Blunt signed an executive order on Saturday 23, 2006, which frees up state agency resources to assist local government disaster response. Federal /State/Local Joint Damage Assessment teams are looking at damages in impacted Missouri counties. **The Governor signed a DNR burn and debris waiver.** SEMA officials visited communities Monday. Governor Blunt visited communities and citizens Tuesday.

**National Weather Service – Confirmed a powerful F4 in Perry County;** Documented 12 tornadoes from the weekend storms. **A cold front moving from west to east on Wednesday Sept 27, afternoon/evening might cause storms with high winds and heavy rains. The front is expected in the Southeast 1/3 of Missouri along the I-44 line.** NWS info; <http://www.crh.noaa.gov/lx/> (for St. Louis) or <http://www.crh.noaa.gov/pah/> (for Paducah).

No fatalities and approximately ten injuries have been reported.  
**The SEOC will be staffed during normal working hours.**

**SEMA is holding daily Disaster Situation conference calls at 10 a.m. with local, state, federal and NGO officials.** Temporary housing options are being discussed for Crosstown (Perry County), Lilbourn (New Madrid County), and other areas as identified by County Commissioners.

#### **Storm Damage Reports:**

**Phelps County:** St. James recovery efforts are ongoing. Assessments completed.  
**Madison County:** Recovery efforts are ongoing. No new info. Assessments completed.  
**Perry County:** Crosstown recovery efforts are ongoing. Assessments completed.  
**Crawford County:** Recovery efforts are ongoing. Assessments completed.  
**Iron County:** No new damage information. Assessments completed.  
**Reynolds County:** No new damage information. Assessments completed.  
**St. Francois County:** No new damage information. Assessments completed.  
**Washington County:** No new damage information. Assessments completed.  
**Howell County:** Recovery efforts are ongoing. Assessments completed.  
**Oregon County:** No new damage information.  
**Shannon County:** No new damage information.  
**Douglas County:** No new damage information.

#### **Flooding Reports:**

**Butler County:** Recovery ongoing, assessments completed.  
**New Madrid County:** Meeting being held on long term recovery on 9/28, assessments completed.  
**Ripley County:** Recovery efforts are ongoing, reports 25 to 30 miles of county roads damaged; assessments completed.  
**Dunklin County:** Recovery efforts are ongoing, assessments completed.

#### **Contacts with Adjacent Counties:**

The following counties were contacted and reported no damages: Bollinger, Cape Girardeau County, Carter, Franklin, Gasconade, Jefferson, Laclede, Maries, Mississippi, Pemiscot, Scott, Ste. Genevieve, Stoddard, Texas, and Wayne.

Joint Damage Assessment Information (Estimates: Numbers continue to change as assessments are completed).

County	Destroyed	Major	Minor	Affected	Notes
Butler		<b>4</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1 home inaccessible; 16 businesses minor; assessments completed</b>
Crawford		1	4	1	Completed
Dunklin		<b>16</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>Businesses: 2 major/2 minor; assessments completed</b>
<b>Howell</b>		2	1		<b>Business: 1 major, 4 minor; assessments completed</b>
Iron	9	4	24		Completed
<b>Madison</b>	4	7	30	8	Business: 1 major. <b>Completed</b>
<b>New Madrid</b>		32	84	147	<b>Businesses: 11 minor; assessments completed</b>
<b>Perry</b>	53	8	2	2	<b>Completed</b>
<b>Phelps</b>	1	10	48	80	Business: 5 major, 25 minor; <b>Completed</b>
<b>Reynolds</b>	2	2	3		Business: 1 major <b>Completed</b>
<b>Ripley</b>			23		<b>Business: 1 major, 9 minor; Complete</b>
<b>St. Francois</b>	<b>1</b>	1	1		<b>Completed</b>
Washington			1		Completed
Totals	<b>70</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>Business: 11major, 67 minor</b>

#### State Agency assistance:

**SEMA** continues to work with local, state federal and NGO's daily.

**Mo Dept of Health & Senior Services:** staff contacted every skilled and residential care facilities, childcare facilities , and WIC program participants in impacted counties who lost food should contact local WIC offices. **The Gideon Head Start is closed because of storm damages.**

**Dept Natural Resources:** working on drinking water, home hazardous waste disposal, dead animal disposal issues, storm debris disposal (solid waste and vegetative), and open burning issues. **Reported on availability of temporary housing in Sam A. Baker, Meramec and Lake Wappapello State Parks.**

**Dept of Social Services:** secured 250 50-pound boxes of non-perishable food for Perry County. **Coordinated with WalMart for 150 cases of bottled water for Perry County.**

Other state agencies who have provided assistance are: **Mo Dept of Transportation, Missouri State Highway Patrol, Missouri Div of Fire Safety, Dept of Elementary & Secondary Education, Division of Finance, Dept of Conservation, Office of Administration – Facilities Mgt, Dept of Mental Health, Dept. of Insurance**

#### Federal Assistance:

**FEMA:** is sending Damage Assessment teams to the begin touring Missouri counties impacted by storms.

**Corps of Engineers.** Nothing new to report.

#### Volunteer Organizations:

**Partnership/MoVOAD:** Is now focusing on Long Term Recovery issues. Will contact impacted counties to with information on Long Term Recovery Committee/Citizen Corps/COAD information. **Looking at forming, re-contacting COADs in Butler, Phelps, Madison, Ste. Genevieve Counties.**

- **Perry County COAD Meeting 1:30 p.m., Thursday, Perry County EMA offices**
- **Perry County Resource & Recovery Citizen Meeting 9 a.m. – 2 p.m., Zion Church, Crosstown.**

**Missouri Housing Commission:** working with USDA Housing division to identify multi-family units in impacted counties as a housing option for displaced families.

**American Red Cross** has 25 families in hotels in Perry County, 5 families in hotels in Madison County, and 30 families in hotels in New Madrid County. On Thursday, the ARC will shift operations from hotels to opening shelters for impacted families. **Is in discussion with Southern Baptist Relief Org. and Salvation Army on shelter and housing issues.**

**Salvation Army:** Finished operations in St. James and Crosstown. They are providing food canteens in New Madrid County **and one in Perry County at Crosstown on Friday.** May be able to assist with short term housing operations in several counties; **coordinating this effort with Red Cross officials.**

**AmeriCorps, Baptist Disaster Services, Christian Aid Ministries, Missouri Baptist Disaster Relief, Methodist Disaster Services and Service International** in Madison and Perry Counties, work has been completed in Phelps County. **The Southern Baptist** kitchen is operating in Perry and New Madrid Counties.

**Americorp Staff are coordinating disaster service agency participation from NGO's and State in a "one-stop shop" center in in Perryville on 9/28 from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm with Commissioner Jack Lakenan.**

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